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ACCESSING LOCAL OBJECTS USING LOCAL ACCESS PROXIES

the specification of which

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Application Number 09/332,818

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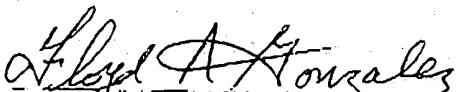
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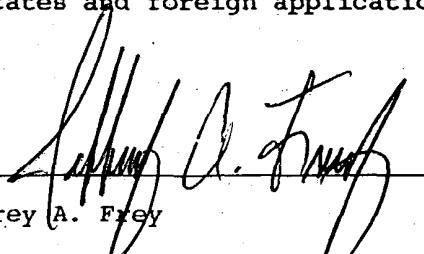
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